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Note to parents, carers and teachers

Read it yourself is a series of modern stories, favourite characters and traditional tales written in a simple way for children who are learning to read. The books can be read independently or as part of a guided reading session.

Each book is carefully structured to include many high-frequency words vital for first reading. The sentences on each page are supported closely by pictures to help with understanding, and to offer lively details to talk about.

The books are graded into four levels that progressively introduce wider vocabulary and longer stories as a reader's ability and confidence grows.

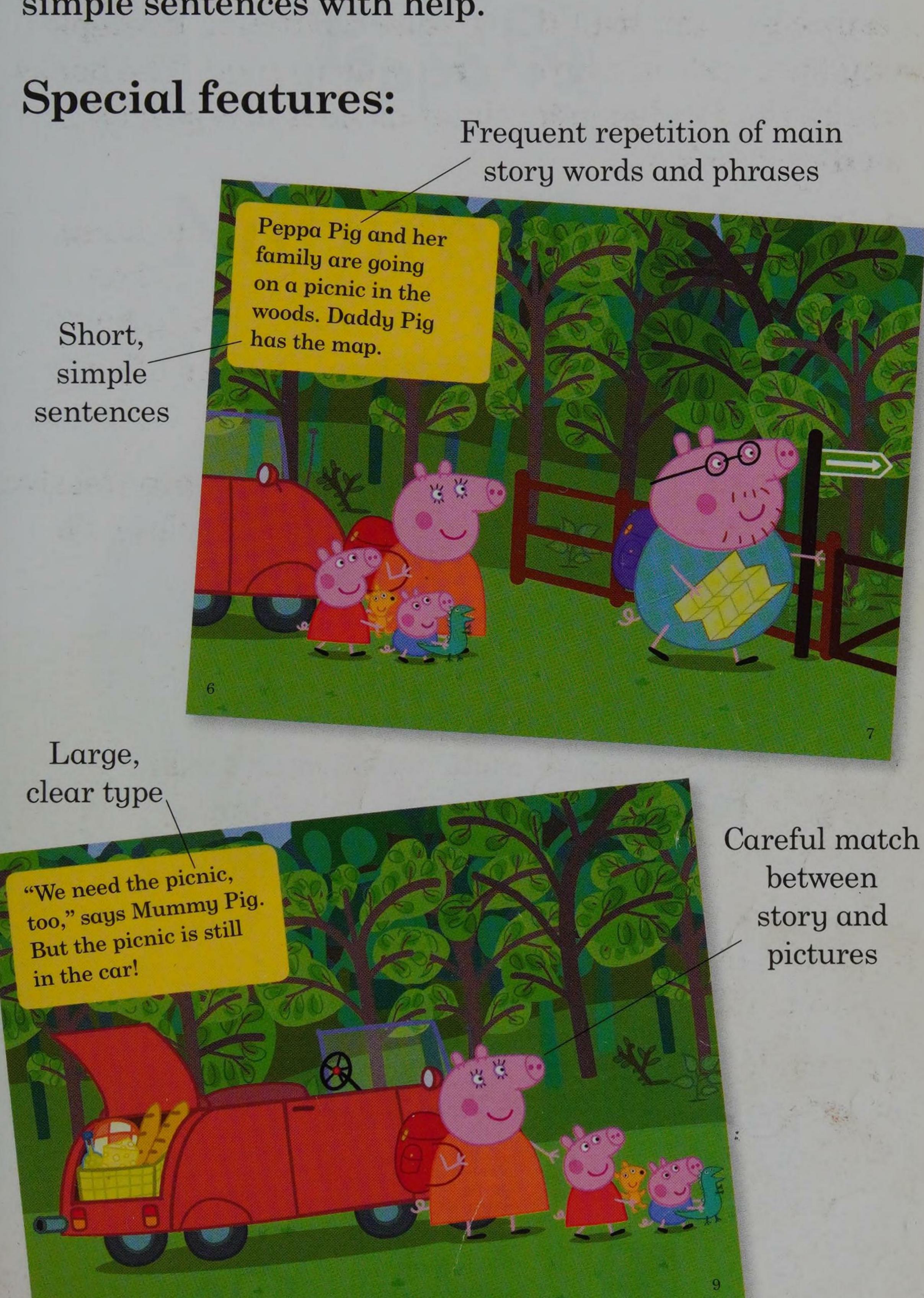
Ideas for use

- Begin by looking through the book and talking about the pictures. Has your child heard this story before?
- Help your child with any words he does not know, either by helping him to sound them out or supplying them yourself.
- Developing readers can be concentrating so hard on the words that they sometimes don't fully grasp the meaning of what they're reading.

 Answering the puzzle questions on pages
 30 and 31 will help with understanding.

For more information and advice on Read it yourself and book banding, visit www.ladybird.com/readityourself

Level 2 is ideal for children who have received some reading instruction and can read short, simple sentences with help.



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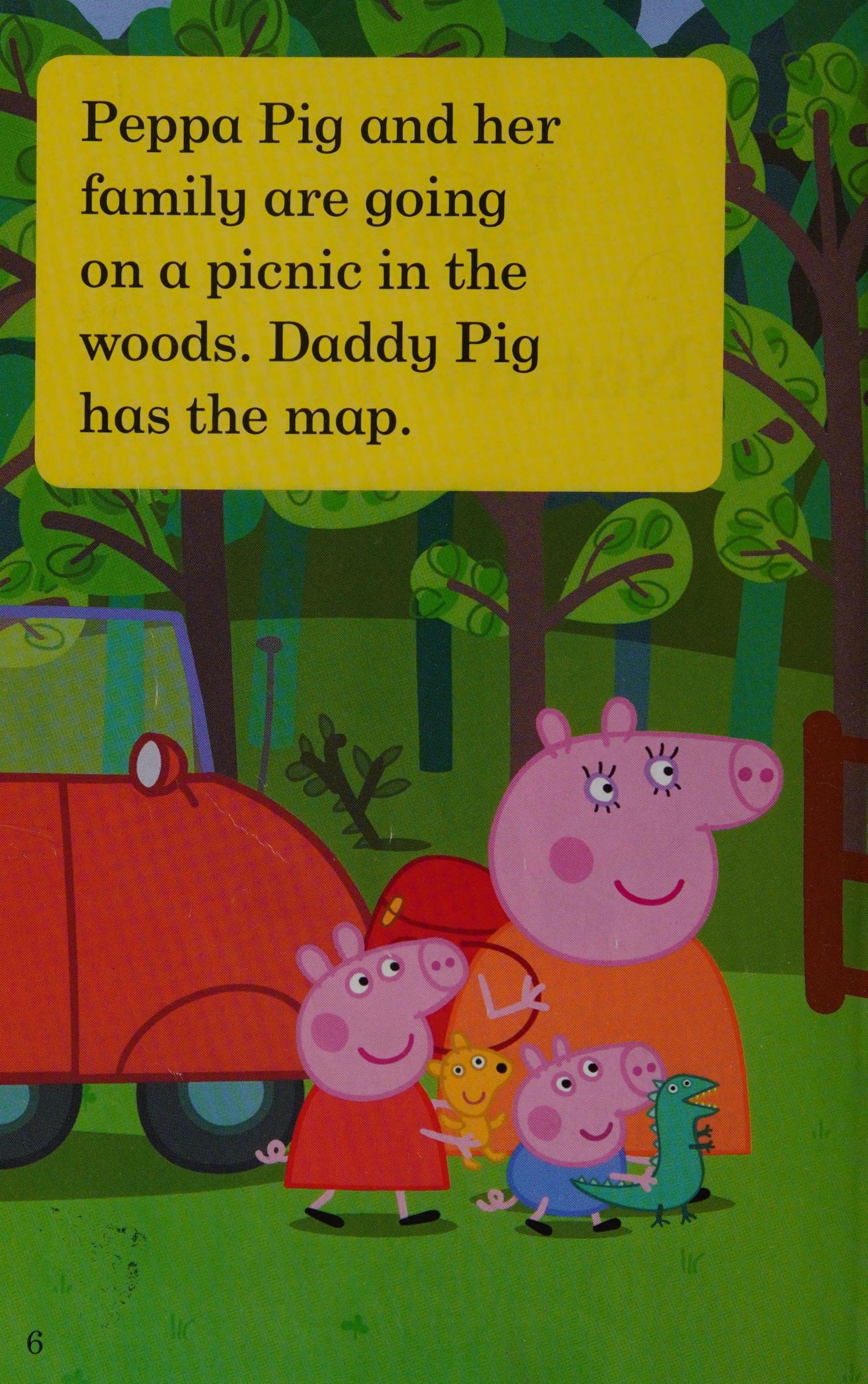


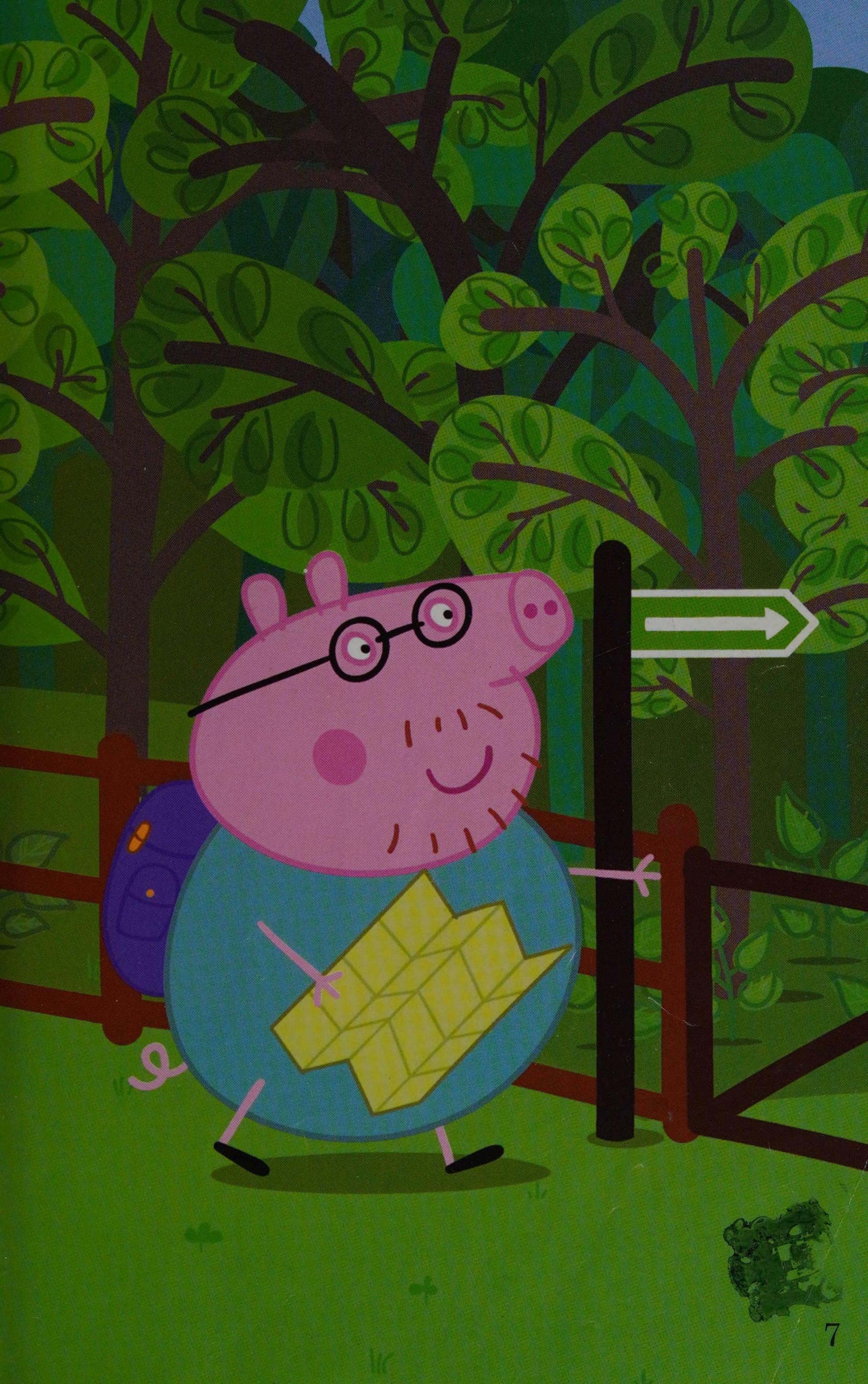
Nature Trail



Written by Lorraine Horsley





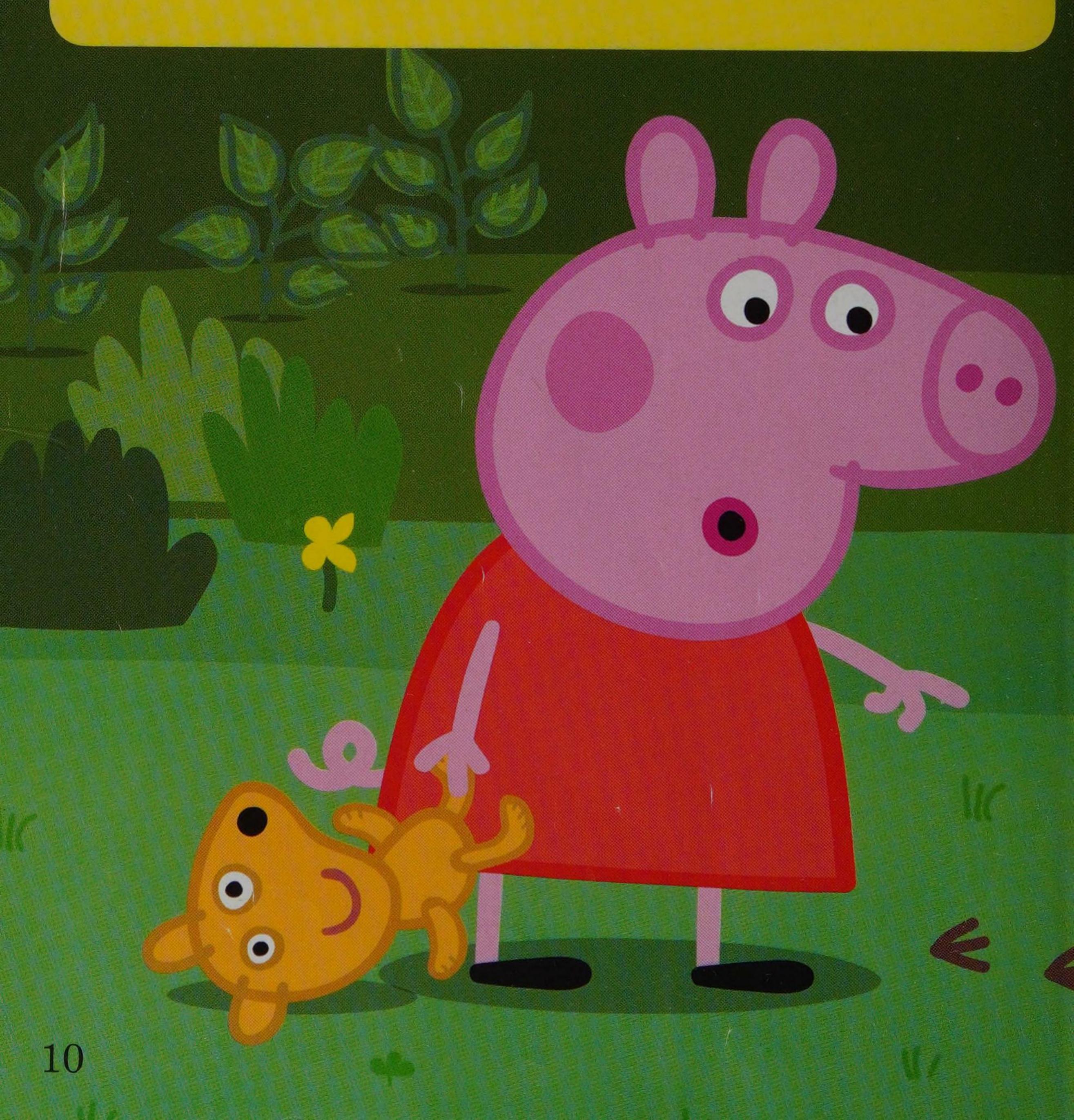






In the woods, Peppa sees something on the ground.

"Look down there!" says
Peppa. "I can see some
footprints on the ground!"





Peppa and her family follow the footprints on the ground.

"A bird made these footprints," says
Mummy Pig.





"Look up there in the tree!" says Peppa.
"I can see some birds!"

There is a mummy bird and some little birds up in the tree.





Then, Peppa sees more little footprints on the ground.

"Look down there!" says Peppa. "I can see some ants!"





Peppa and her family are hungry. They need the picnic but it is still in the car.

Daddy Pig looks at the map. "I don't know the way back to the car," he says.





"I know!" says Peppa.

"I can see our footprints, too. We can follow our footprints back to the car!"



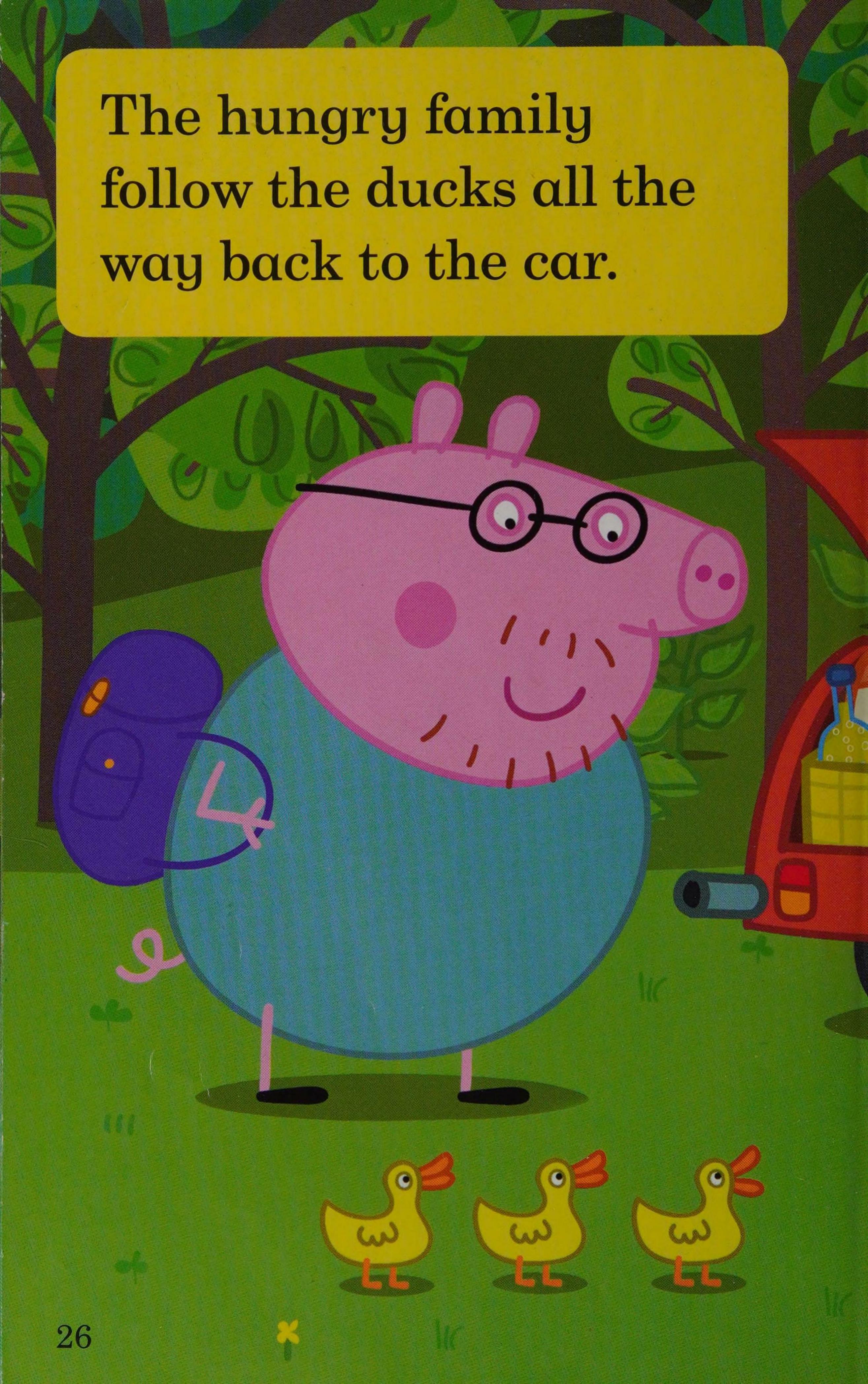






"I know!" says Peppa. "I can see some ducks over there. Ducks love the rain AND they love picnics. We can follow these ducks back to the picnic in our car!"







"I love picnics in the woods!" says Peppa.

The birds, the ants and the ducks love the picnic, too!

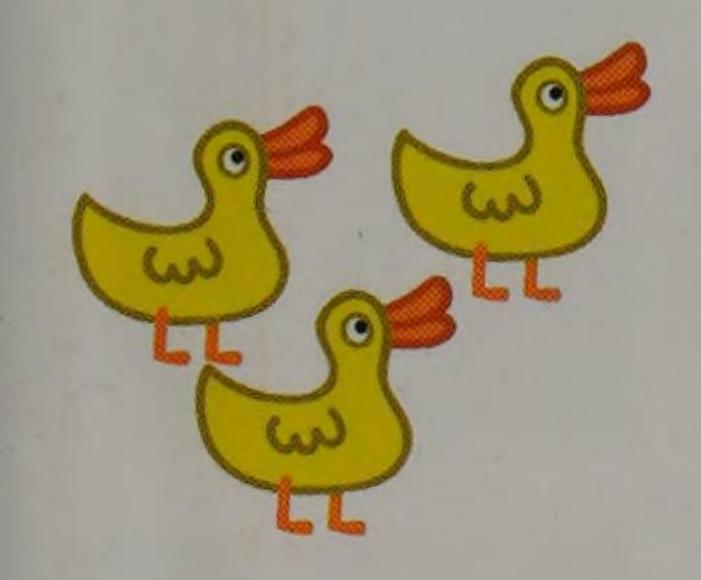




How much do you remember about Peppa Pig: Nature Trail? Answer these questions and find out!

- Where do Peppa and her family go for a picnic?
- What does Peppa see in the woods?
- Why do the family's footprints go away?
- Who shows Peppa and her family the way back to the car?

Look at the pictures and match them to the story words.



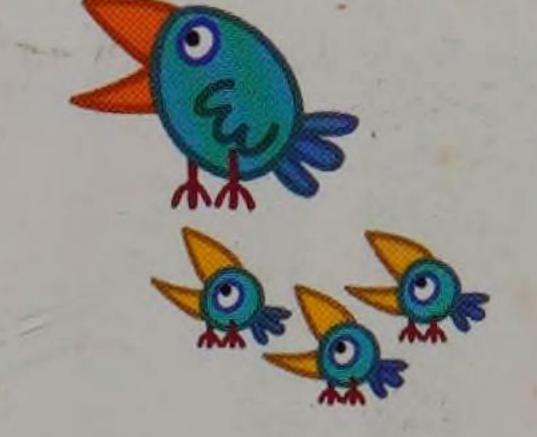
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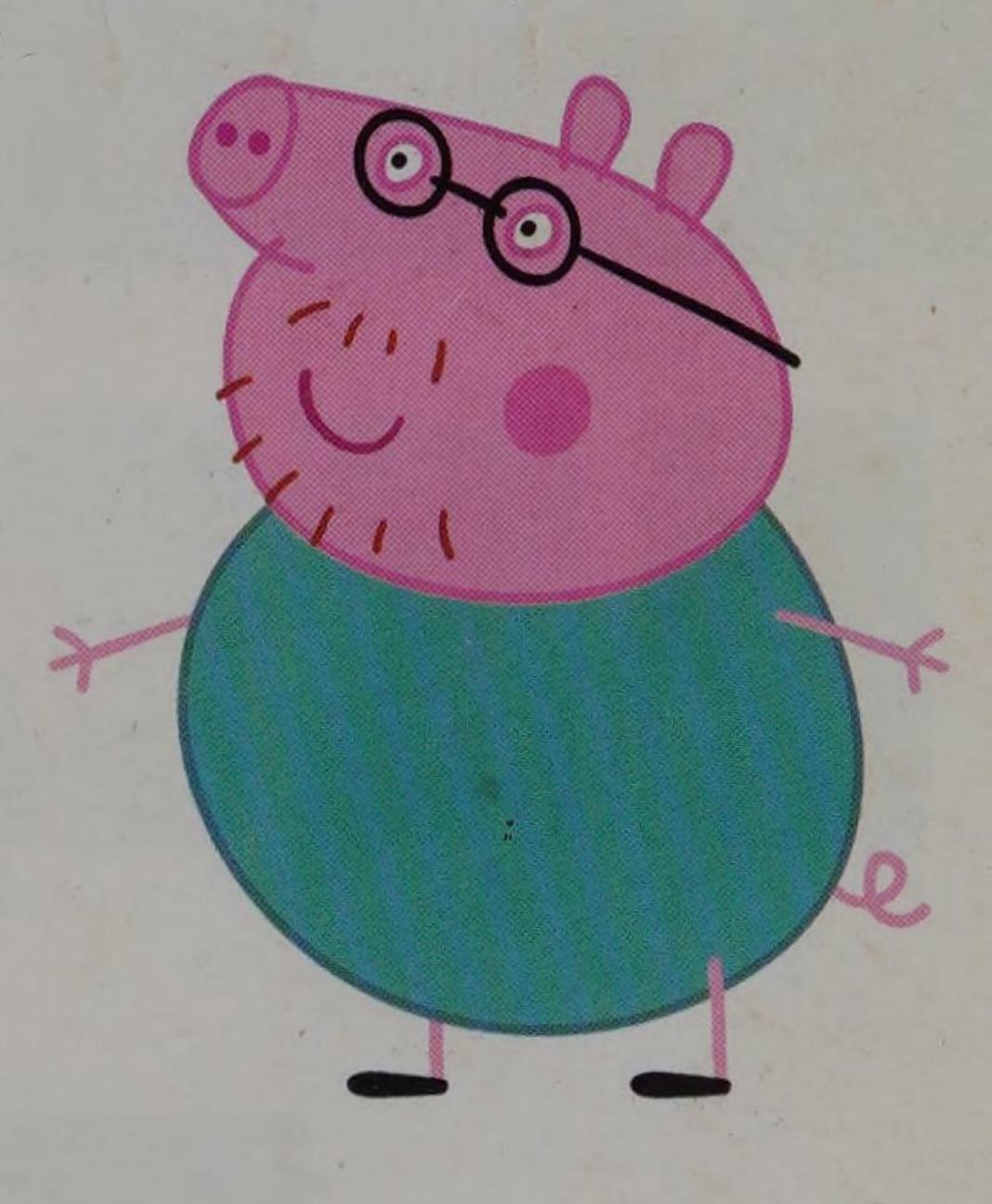
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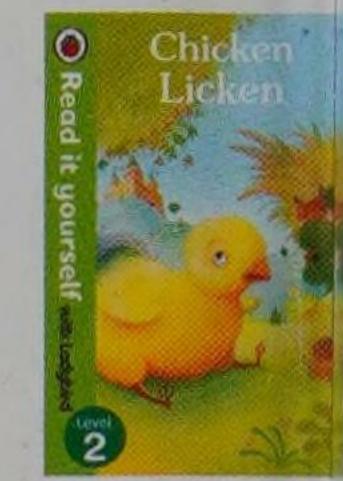
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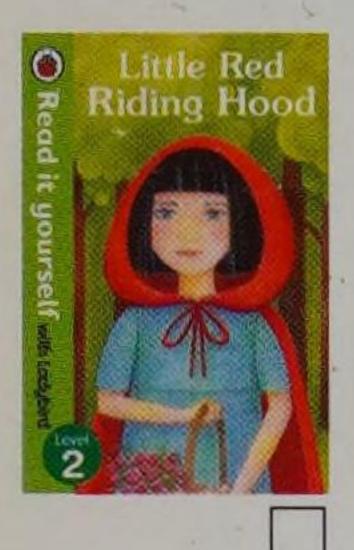
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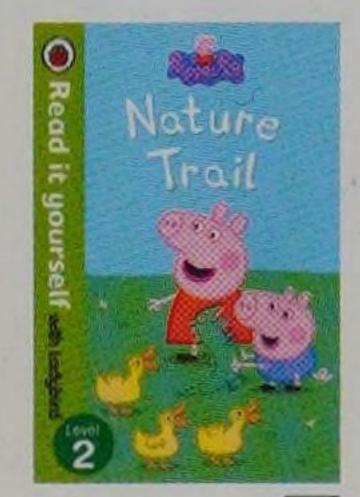
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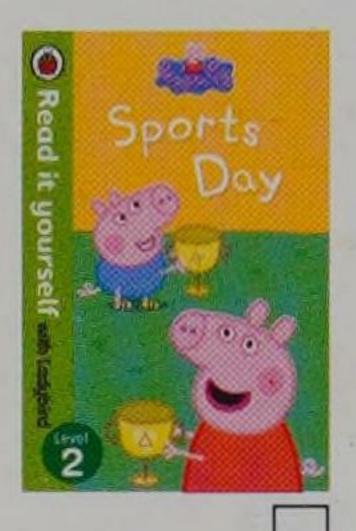


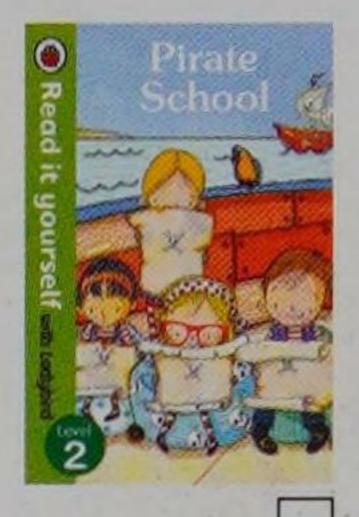


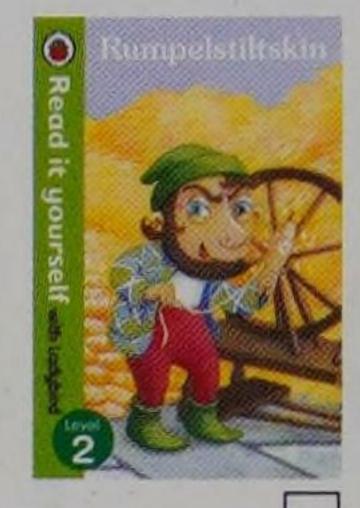


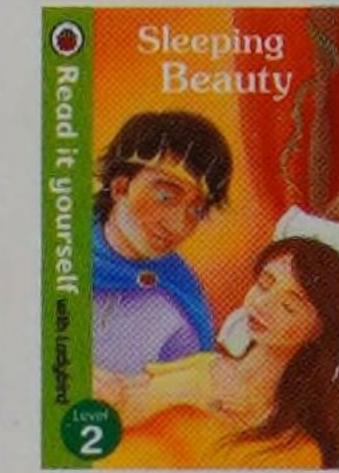


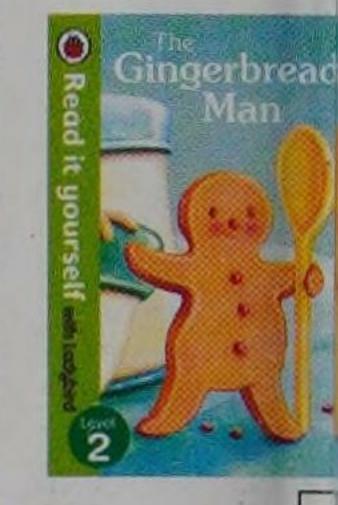


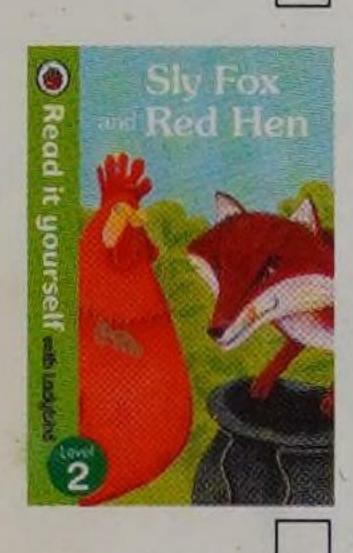


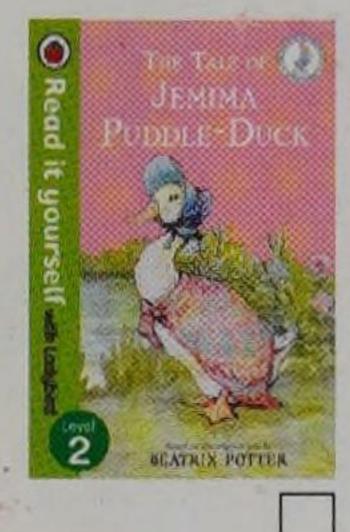


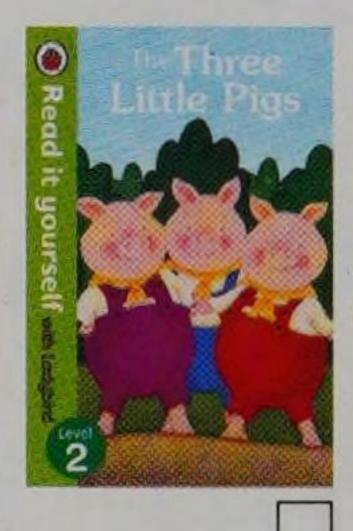


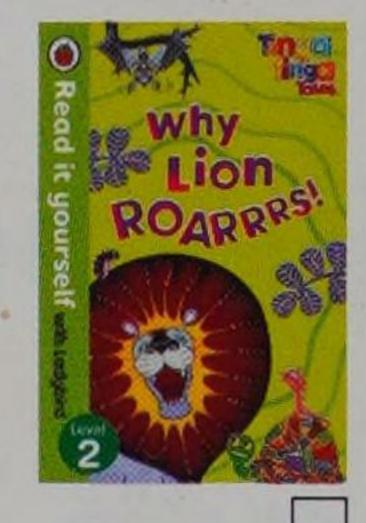












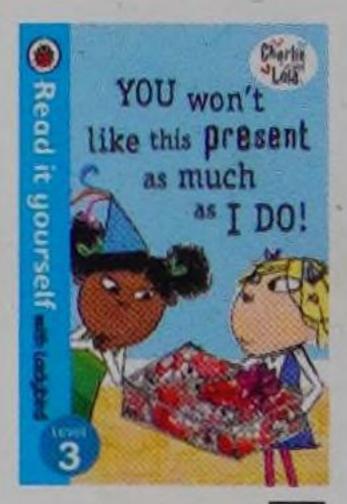






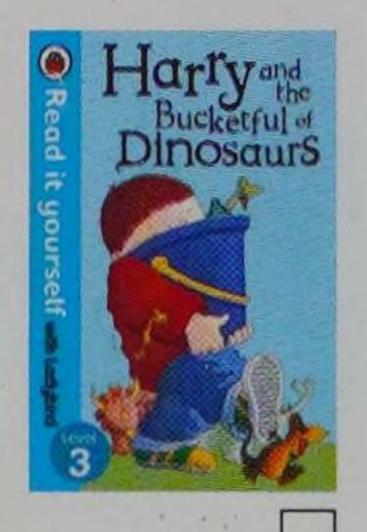
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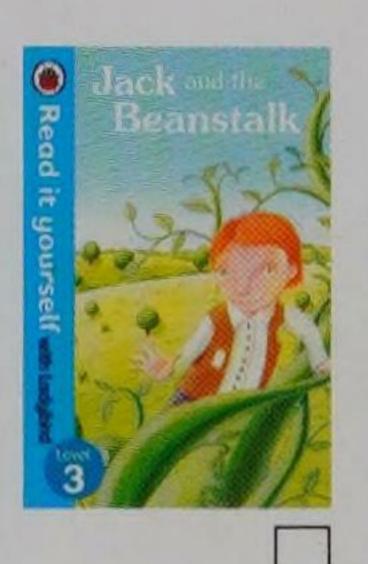
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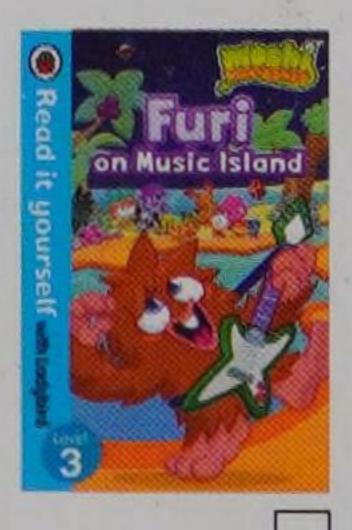


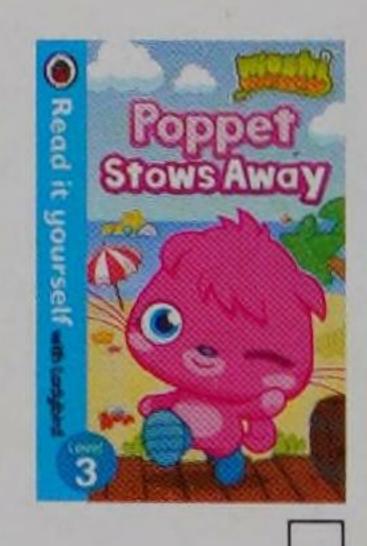


















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Read if yourself is a series of character stories and traditional tales, written in a simple way for children who are learning to read.

Level 1

For children who are ready to take their first steps in reading.

For beginner readers who can read short, simple sentences with help.



Level 3

For more confident readers who can read simple stories with help.

Level 4

Longer stories for more independent, fluent readers.



Band 6

Book banded for school use